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*Theatre Rhinoceros presents:*

## **AN ODE TO ORDE: *The Orde Wingate Story***

Written and Performed by the John Fisher

**April 2, 2020 at 8pm**

***One Live Performance Only.***

### **SYNOPSIS:**

This epic adventure tells the story of the British Officer who wanted to give Africa to the Africans. He defied to British Empire to do it.

Streams on Facebook: <https://www.facebook.com/profile.php?id=559097816> starting at 8pm on Thursday, April 2.

**Live Performance Date:      **April 2, 2020****

### **BIOS:**

**JOHN FISHER** (Playwright/Director/Actor) recently completed a six-month run of his show *A History of World War II* at The Marsh, after playing two runs of the show in Manhattan (United Solo/Theatre Row – Best Actor Award 2017 - and Pangea) and another in Los Angeles (the Broadwater.) He is a two-time winner of the Will Glickman Award, as well as being a recipient of the GLAAD Media Award. His plays include the award-winning *Action Hero*, *Shakespeare Goes to War*, *To Sleep and Dream*, *Combat!* and *Medea, the Musical*. [www.JohnFisher.biz](http://www.JohnFisher.biz).

**THEATRE RHINOCEROS** - Founded in 1977, The Rhino is the longest running LGBT theatre in the nation. We develop and produce works of theatre that enlighten, enrich, and explore both the ordinary and the extraordinary aspects of our queer community. Our emphasis is on new works, works about under-represented members of the larger queer community, and revivals of lesser known queer classics. Over the years Theatre Rhinoceros has received many awards of recognition including: Theatre Rhinoceros Day in the City Proclamation from Mayor Gavin Newsom, State Assembly Certificate of Recognition from Senator Mark Leno, recognitions from Congressperson Nancy Pelosi and Assembly Persons Tom Ammiano and Carole Migden, numerous Cable Car, BATCC and TBA Awards and Nominations, and the GLAAD Media Award for Best LGBT Theatre.

### **Previous Facebook Live Presentations:**

*A TOURIST IN LONDON:*

<https://www.facebook.com/559097816/videos/10157266417927817/>

*A TOURIST IN HAWAII*

<https://www.facebook.com/559097816/videos/10157247231947817>

### **Calendar Editors:**

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TIX:            Tickets are \$25-\$45 and available at [www.therhino.org](http://www.therhino.org) 800-838-3006 or at the door.

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